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August 11, 2014

The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT 30-DAY REPORT BACK ON CONTRACT COMPLIANCE STATUS FOR THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY OFFENDER MONITORING SYSTEM

At the September 10, 2013, Board meeting, the Sheriff was requested to report back every 30 days on contract compliance and program updates for the Los Angeles County Offender Monitoring System (LACOMS) as provided by Sentinel Offender Services, LLC (Sentinel). The current status of the program is outlined below:

- The LACOMS is currently monitoring 141 inmate workers assigned to 23 patrol stations and 40 inmates assigned to treatment service centers utilizing Global Positioning System (GPS) and Radio Frequency (RF) technology.
- During the month of July, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (Department)
 personnel assigned to the LACOMS program conducted random audits of
 LACOMS participants utilizing Sentinel's web-based monitoring system
 "Sentrak." The audit conducted by Department personnel showed compliance
 with the notification matrix as established by the contract for all alerts received.
- Since the last report back dated July 8, 2014, there have been two program absconds. Sentinel notified our Department on both events in a timely manner, meeting the terms of the contract. However, out of an abundance of caution, Sentinel will now make immediate verbal notifications to LACOMS personnel for all equipment related service calls that raise suspicion about equipment that may have been compromised by the participant.

- On July 2, 2014, a female inmate cut and removed her ankle monitor, and walked away from a rehabilitation center. On July 24, 2014, she was rearrested by the Department's Major Crimes Bureau and booked at the Department's Century Regional Detention Facility. She has been additionally charged with Escape by Persons in Alternative Custody Program, 4532(a)1 PC.
- On August 1, 2014, a female inmate cut and removed her ankle monitor, and walked away from a rehabilitation center. The Department's Compliance Team responded to the treatment facility and conducted a thorough search of the surrounding area, however, the inmate was not located. A "WANT" has been issued for her arrest, and the Department's Major Crimes Bureau has been notified.
- The cost to the Department for GPS monitoring for the month of June was \$18,593.35.

Should you have any questions, please contact Chief Eric G. Parra, Custody Services Division, General Population, at (213) 893-5017.

Sincerely,

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